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In accordance with the duty of disclosure imposed by 37 C.F.R. §1.56 to inform the Patent Office of all references known by Applicant or Applicant's representative that may be material to the examination of the subject application, Applicant's representative hereby provides this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement that is prepared in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§1.97-1.98. Forms PTO-1449 (1 page) and copies of the cited documents are provided herewith.

The cited documents, listed on Forms PTO-1449 and supplied herewith, are in the English language. Hence, in accordance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.98, as amended effective March 16, 1992, no further explanation of the listed items is necessary.

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Applicant makes known to the Examiner the following U.S. and International, patents, publications and applications, owned by Sequenom, Inc., which were originally assigned to GeneTrace Systems, Inc.

<u>U.S.S.N.(App. no.)</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>	<u>Docket No.</u>
09/515,277	02/29/00	2054B
09/089,730	06/03/98	2055C
08/988,024	12/10/97	2057
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5	8	6	4	1	3	7	01/26/99	Becker <i>et al.</i>	10/01/96	2056
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6	0	5	1	3	7	8	04/18/00	Monforte <i>et al.</i>	03/04/97	2054
6	0	9	0	5	5	8	07/18/00	Butler <i>et al.</i>	09/18/98	2059
6	1	0	4	0	2	8	08/15/00	Hunter <i>et al.</i>	05/29/98	2058
6	2	6	5	7	1	6	07/24/01	Hunter <i>et al.</i>	02/29/00	2058B

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9	8	2	6	0	9	5	06/18/98	PCT	2057PC
9	8	5	4	7	5	1	12/03/98	PCT	2058PC

Applicant also makes known to the Examiner the following U.S. and International applications, which are commonly owned and/or have one or more inventors in common.

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PCT/US02/06728	03/05/02	2048PC
PCT/US01/29290	09/18/01	2049PC
Unassigned	04/20/01	2050PC

Although these documents are made known to the Patent and Trademark Office in compliance with Applicant's duty of disclosure, such disclosure is not to be construed as an admission by Applicant or Applicant's representative that any of the references is effective as prior art against the subject application. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(h), the filing of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement shall not be construed to mean that a search has been made or that no other material information as defined in 37 C.F.R. §1.56(b) exists.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56, if inventors of subject matter not commonly owned at the time of the later invention file a joint application (i.e. the above-mentioned continuation-in-part application), applicant has an obligation to point this out.

The above-captioned application, which is a continuation of patent application U.S. Serial No. 08/420,009; a continuation of U.S. Serial No. 08/470,835, which is a continuation of U.S. Serial No. 08/420,009; a continuation of U.S. Serial No. 08/419,994; and a continuation of U.S. Serial No. 08/470,716, which is a continuation of U.S. Serial No. 08/419,994, designates as joint inventors: Charles Cantor and Hubert Köster. This continuation application makes of record two assignees: (1) Trustee of Boston University for the joint inventor Charles Cantor and (2) Sequenom, Inc. for the joint inventor Hubert Köster.